FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Undiminished "Boom" in Stocks.

MONEY ON CALL EASY.

Governments Firm, State Bonds Dull, Railways Very Active.

WALL STREET, FRIDAY, Nov. 14-6 P. M.

There was a very considerable lull in Stock Exchange proceedings to-day. Transactions were fewer, and there was a decided fining down of the excitement which attended the topsy-turvy market of the past few days. Nevertheless, stocks, generally speaking, held their own, and in special instances even advanced. Opening prices were carcely so good as yesterday's final ones, but they became better before the day closed. As Paris rules France, so does Erie the stock market. As Paris directs the course of political opinion, so does Erie direct the course of stock speculation. It was no wonder, therefore, that with Erie leading the way toward higher prices, everything else should have attempted to follow. As for Eric itself, it steadily worked its way upward from 45, the lowest point, to 48, the highest one, although final transactions were made at a conces-non of about % per cent. The St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad shares were forged ahead of the worlte, the rise netting some 7 to 8 per cent to yesrday's lucky buyers. Very large earnings are reported from this property-large enough if they be ontinued to promise a dividend upon the preferred hares. Beading was less active than yesterday, at prices that were hardly better than steady. There was some delay in the deliveries, since, between the discharge of shares from the Philadelphia books and ne registration of the same in New York, the issue of new certificates scarcely kept pace with the demand. The inclination to purchase C., C. and I. C. k continues, being fostered by a belief that a compromise with the Pennsylvania road on the question ack interest (due by the latter to the former) will be effected to the satisfaction of both parties. At any rate a committee appointed by the C., C. & I. C. road have the matter in hand and expect to bring about a definite settlement. Unusually large transactions in New Central Coal during the past week or two have invited inquiries as to the value of the perty. The last statement made by the company ler date of January 2, 1879, and from this we cull the following items:—The increase of produc-tion in 1878 over 1877 was 7,669 tons, or 50,000 tons greater than in 1872, in which year the property was listed on the Board and sold at \$70 per share. The net earnings for 1878 were \$104,494 36, out of which \$100,000 were paid in dividends. There is no bonded and no floating debt. The assets of the company at date of report were \$5,303,356 94 and the liabilities. including \$5,000,000 of capital stock, \$5,058,826 64, leaving to the credit of profit and loss \$244,530 30. cheme to sell forty new Board scats has been carmed out after all, enough members having changed their votes to render the opposition to the action of the veruing Committee of no avail. It was decided by this latter body this afternoon to advertise for proposals for membership (the same to remain open atil November 25) and to entertain no bid for a seat under \$10,000. The accepted candidates will have to pass the ordeal of the Committee of Admissions and be recommended by two members of the Board in good standing. The market closed with a ood deal of strength, which was added to some-that in the end by the easing down of money to 3 and 4 per cent from the threatening aspect which 7 per cent and 1-32 commission had given it at one time during the day. The Philadelphia stock market reflected the comparative quietness of our own, and there is nothing of importance to note. Pennsyl-vanis Railroad ruled between 49% and 49%, Reading tween 36% and 36% and Lehigh Valley between 53% and 53%. Other stocks were quiet and un-

changed to any material extent. Total sales at the Board were 537,325 shares, against 552,626 shares yesterday. Following is an epitome of the transactions:-

Consolidat'n Coal. 400
Han. & St. Jo.... 6,900
Han. & St. Jo. pf. 5,600
Houston & Texas.
Illinois Central... 1.100
Ind., Cin & Lar... 5,800 74 ¼ 1100 ¼ 460 ¼ 460 ¼ 460 ¼ 460 ¼ 460 ¼ 460 ¼ 460 ¼ 460 ¼ 660 ¼ 47% 72% 29% 49 58 72% 54% 51% 50% 107% 64 Adams Ex. 325
Wells-Fargo Ex. 609
Ohio & Miss. 15,400
Ohio & Miss pref. 2,100
La F.B. & Muncio 100
Bos. Wat. Power. 409
Bt. P. & S. City. 2,300
St. P. & S. City pf. 5,000
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while railroad bonds were again active and the business well distributed, but the fluctuations in prices were comparatively slight as a rule. Ther

were large transactions at usual of late, in Eric now consols. Following were the transactions during the day:

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the bank of Faginate on basished coday was 152,000. Bar silver was quoted at 53%d. It is thought that between £390,000 and £400,000 in specie were taken from the Bank of England to-day for shipment to

America. Foreign exchange in this market was quiet and steady at the following rates: -

tions:-		
	Bid.	Asked.
City sixes, new	118	11834
United Railroads of New Jersey		1495
Pennsylvania Railroad	49%	49%
Reading Railroad	36%	36%
Lehigh Valley Railroad	63%	54
Catawissa preferred	4854	48%
Northern Pacific common	365	37
Northern Pacific preferred	GO	60%
Northern Central Railroad	33	3314
Lehigh Navigation	3834	39
Pittsburg, Titusville and Buffalo	9	9%
Hestonville Railway	26%	26%
Philadelphia and Eric Railway	1734	18%
Duluth common	38	39
Destrock speciment	69	66

at the Mining Board: -			
Shares.			
39,200 Buckeye	.57		
20,300 Rappahannock	.34	a	
13.800 Lacrosse	.67	-	
13.700 Daulonega	.23		
11.800 Grapville	.28		
7,800 Hukill	3.90		4.30
4,300 Tuscarors	.67		.51
3,400 Lucerne	.24	-	.25
3,200 N. Y. & Colorado	2.00		2.50
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2,000 Gold Piacer	.37		S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S
2,000 South Hite	1.45		1.60
1,675 Belle Iste	4.60		4.20
1,385 Consolidated Virginia	514	A	556
1,200 Bechtel	2.10		2.00
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400 Caledonia B. H	3,30	11	3.10
400 North Standard	1.95	a	2.05
340 American Flag	.83		.82
350 Leadville	3.85	n	3,80 63
300 Tip Top	1.80	-	1.90
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200 Pannas	2.85	n	200
200 Bulwer	11	A	-
200 Tioga	3,00		
110 Little Part burg	2014	-	-
100 Great Eastern	.27	-	-

At Sa 1 Francisco the opening prices of mining

entirely unprecedented. The outflow of breadstaffs has been very large, and this has been the basis of a large proportion of the fall business—occasioning high prices to the merchant, the farmer and all concerned—rendering the circulation of money unusually free and insuring be sides an active interchange of commodities for money. The exports have not been so heavy of into, and the enormous magnitude of the visible supply of grain seems to have begotten the expectation of lower prices; but with the surety of an active demand for American wheat for all parts of Europe it is certain that comparatively high prices will obtain all through the winter. Speculation may have resulted in establishing fictitions values; but, if so, this will regulate itself. In any event, a large quantity of wheat will go abroad, and good prices will certainly be obtained for it, while the beneficial effects of an active export movement in breadstuffs will continue to be felt throughout the ramifications of trade. To-day (Friday) the markets were fairly active, and, as a rule, full prices were obtained for everything. Ou 'Change flour was quiet. Wheat was firmer. Corn was firmer. Oats were firmer. Whiskey was nominal. Pork was quiet. Lard was firmer. Cotton on the spot was 'ge, higher; futures closed barely steady. Coffee was firmer, and sugar remained firm. Oils were quiet, Petroleum firmer. Naval stores were dull and entirely nominal.

Altonood was firmer. Export was quoted at Set. 6. 33e, for prompt delivery and Sie. for later months. Free quoted at Set 10.

Antimony remained quiet and easy at 17c. for Hallett and 18c. for Cookson.

Berkswar was dull at 22a. a 22½c. for Western and South orn.

COPPER.—The market for Rio was firm in tone. We note sale of 1.560 bags Rio. ex Berlin, on private torms, and

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Savannab, buying ½ discount;
Charleston, plentiful, buying ½, selling ½ a par;
New Orleans, commercial, 350 a 400 discount; bahi, 150 discount; Chicago, firm, par to 25c, discount;
Boston, 25c, to 2s, discount.

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For No. 2 and \$5 for No. 3. Box herring ruled steady at 25c. for medium scaled, 20c. for textuals and 20c. for No. 1.

FLOUR MAND GRAIN.—Receipts—Flour. 21.879 bbls.; wheat, 351 dost busiles; corn. 73:037 do.; oats, 32,330 do.; rys. 0.50 do.; barley, 45,909 do.; mail, 2,330 do. Flour-The market was a little more steady, but quiet. The sales, including State. Western and Southern, were about 17,030 bbls. within the annexed range. Rye flour was easy, with sales of about 30 bbls. Corn meal was easy. Sales wore 100 bbls. and 1,000 bbgs. We quote was easy. No. 2 State.

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Proc. 28c. n bride, and 28c. n brides. Naw Orleana, old, stractly choice to fancy. 45c. a 48c.; new crop. 50c. a 49c. Syrups—Stone to fancy. 45c. a 48c.; new crop. 50c. a 49c. Syrups—Stone. 36c. a 48c.; choice, 38c. a 42c.; tancy. 42c. a 50c.; choice, 38c. a 42c.; tancy. 42c. a 50c.; choice, 38c. a 42c.; tancy. 42c. a 50c.; corn. 38c. a 60c.

317c.; choice, 38c. a 42c.; tancy. 42c. a 50c.; corn. 38c. a 60c.

317c. Tar—Withington, \$2.50c. Pitch, \$2. Advices from Withington:—Rosin Brin: strained and good strained, \$1.75. Tar—Withington, \$2.50c. Pitch, \$2. Advices from Withington:—Rosin Brin: strained, \$1.25. Turpostine steady: at 37c. Tar—guist at \$1.25. Turpostine steady: at 37c. Tar—guist at \$1.25. Turpostine steady: at 37c. Tar—guist at \$1.25. Turpostine steady: at 37c. 50c.; 22.27.

We quote:—Linseed. American, 85c.; lard. 50c. Sperm—Cruse wominal at \$1.50c. ac 50c.; natural 40c., \$1.50c. ac 50c.; bleached winter 40c., 42c.; bleached winter 45c.; ac 50c.; natural 40c., \$1.50c. ac 50c.; bleached winter 40c., 42c.; bleached winter 40c., 42c.; bleached winter 40c., 50c. ac 50c.; bleached winter 60c. ac 50c. bleached 60c.

Tallow—Recaipts, 89 thereos and 048 bags. Markst strong. Sales 70,000 lbs. at 75c. a 75c. a 100 lbs., No. 2, at 75c. a 100 lbs., No. 2, at 75c. at 75c. a 100 lbs., No. 2, at 75c. at

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EUROPEAN MARKETS

Cotton—Futures weaker, free sellers at the last questions; uplands, low middling clause, January and February delivery, 0.25 32d., also 0.13 10d.; uplands, low middling clause, February and March delivery, 0.13-10d.; uplands, low middling clause, March and April delivery, 0.27-32d, also 0.5d.; uplands, low middling clause, March and April delivery, 0.27-52d, also 0.5d.; Produce—Refined petroleum, 8d. ner rallen

Turpoutino—Spirits, at London, dull at 30s. 6d.

THE GARIN TRADE.
LUVERPOOL, Nov. 14, 1879.
A leading grain circular says:—The wheat markets since the commencement of the week have been exceedingly quiet, and the majority have further declined is, per quarter for both English and foreign. The arrivals of cargoos off coast have been large, with an improved domand and an advance of 6d. per quarter was obtainable. Cargoos on passage were also loss depressed Liverpool spot transactions since Tucoday have been limited at 1d. per central decline. Maine was quiet and prices unchanged. The tone of the market to-day improved and yesterday's decline in wheat was recevered, with an occasional advance of a penny per contal. Husiness was chiefly of a consumptive character and steady, but unfunportant. Flour was steadler. Corn was held for a penny per contal advance, which was obtained to a moderate extent."

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LONDON, Nov. 14—6 P. M.

Spirits of turpentine, 30s. 6d. per cwt. Sugar, 25s. 6d.

per cwt. for Cuba muscovado fair refining, affost. Calcutta linscod, 57s. 6d a 58s per quartor. American lard closed at 49f, per 50 kilos.

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I'VO HOLDERS OF COLUMBUS, CHICAGO AND IXI diana Central Railway Company's Consolidated First Mortgage Bonds —Holders of Union Trust Company's receipts for Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central Censolidated First Mortgage Bonds deposited under the agroement of May 17, 1870, who have not yet signed the supplimentary agreement of August 22, 1870, are requested to do so at once and bave their certificates stamped at the office of the Union Trust Company. It will greatly simplify and facilitate the task of the committee to have all the bonds placed under one agreement, and the interest of the bonds placed under one agreement, and the interest of the bonds placed under one agreement, and the interest of the bondholders requires that they respond to the present call with promptness, so that the committee may be able at the lurther hearing to be had before Judge Harlam, December 1, to exhibit the bondholders in the proper position of compliance with the decrae for specific performance, and which the general interest of all requires the prompt action now ediled for. The committee are confident that no bondholder who now holds back can gain any eventual advantage by so doing. Copies of the supplementary agreement can be found at the offices of the Union Trust Company, 71 Broadway, and A. iselfu Aco., 48 Wall st.

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THE COURTS.

Daniel Flynn was yesterday convicted in the General Sessions of highway robbery and sentenced by Judge Cowing to ten years in the State Prison.

Mrs. Catherine Barry, on motion of Mr. Alfred Steckler, her counsel, was yesterday released from jail by the Surrogate, she having been committed for contempt of Court.

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The two river theves, Cornelius Mahoney and Patrick Boyle, recently convicted of stealing cotton from a barge, were sentenced yesterday by Judge Gildersleeve—Mahoney, who is an old offender, to five years and Boyle to two years in State Prison.

The trial of Benjamin M. Whitkoski, in the Court of General Sessions, for receiving stoten goods, the facts of which have already been narrated, resulted yesterday in a conviction of the prisoner. On motion of Mr. William F. Howe, his counsel, he was remanded for sentence.

Joseph F. Darling sued the city to recover \$25,000 damages for injuries sustained by slapping on the sidewalk. The trial of the case yesterday before Judge Barrett, in Supreme Court, Circuit, resulted in a verdict for \$10,000 in his favor.

Judge Lawrence yesterday gave a decision refusing to interfere in the case of the charge made by Edward E. Pray against Dr. Theodore H. Sayre, the druggist, as the case has been set down for an early hearing in the Police Court.

James Lynch, who succeeded in making Rev. A. Paige, from Rushville, Ill., during a recent visit here, part with \$40 while the accused was illustrating how a person could be cheated at cards, haying pleaded guilty, was sentenced yesterday in the Court of General Sessions by Judge Gildersleeve to one year in the Ponitentiary.

Ella Montijo, prima donna, charges Frederick D. Foss, the alleged backer of an operatic company for which she sang, but which is now disbanded, with defrauding her out of her salary. On application of Messix, Howe & Hummel, her counsel, Judge McAdam, yesterday granted an order of arrest against Foss, who was arrested by Doputy Sheriff Hasson.

Messrs. Wilmerding, Hoguet & Co. brought suit in the Marine Court against Jules Galalugar & Co., their agents at the Paris Exposition, for damages through loss of goods. The case was tried yesterday given in their favor.

In the Court of Appeals to-day—present Hon. San-ford E. Church, Chief Justice, and associates—the

following business was transacted:-No. 14. Francis M. Emery, executor, &c., respondent, vs. John T. Wilson, appellant.—Argued by Samuel Hand for appellant and Jesse Johnson for respondent.
The following is the day calendar for Monday, November 17:—Nos. 20, 66, 96, 104, 110, 52, 56 and 14.

BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT.

A special meeting of the Board of Apportionment

was held in the Mayor's office yesterday. President Mott presided in the absence of Mayor Cooper. An application was received from the Park Commissioners asking for a transfer of \$7,000 from the appropriation for making maps for the Twenty-third and Twepty-fourth wards in order to pay laborers and

other employes of the Department. The transfer was ordered. The sum of \$2,000 was also transferred from the appropriation for the improvement of Manhattan square to the fund for maintenance of the Twenty-third and Twenty-tourth wards.

A report was received from the Comptroller as to the estimated account of the general fund revenue for the year 1879 applicable to the reduction of taxation during the coming year. According to this report it appears that the fund is derived from unpaid licenses, interest on unpaid ascessments, school moneys from the State and all revenues of the city not otherwise specifically appropriated. The report also states that the revenues of the sinking fund are appropriated by law to the payment of interest on the city debt, and that there was formerly a large annual surplus from this source added to the general fund. In 1878, however, a law was passed appropriating the surplus revenue of the sinking fund to the reducing of the city debt. In this way a large item was taken from the amount applicable to the reduction of taxation. This year the general fund will amount to \$1,711,980 28. A balance of \$638,283 64, unappropriated last year, remained, and a surplus from the sinking fund of \$107,922 47, maxing a total of \$2,508,191 39, applicable in 1879 to the amount necessary to be resised for carrying on the city government.

DESOLATE HOMES.

A BESOTTED MOTHER FOUND DEAD UPON THE FLOOR WITH HER STABVING INFANT AT HER BREAST-THE EXCESSES OF A SOLDIER'S WIFE. In a dingy little room over a stable, at No. 255 West Forty-seventh street, Thomas Conkling, a hostler, has lived for a long time with his wife Eilen. The pair, isolated to some extent from the neighbors by their place of abode and manner of living, did not reveal much of their domestic relaneighbors by their place of abode and manner of living, did not reveal much of their domestic relations. It was generally known that the woman was advanced stage of intoxication was no novelty in the neighborhood, and of late whenever she was seen she betrayed evidences that she was spending the days in one constant round of dissipation. She had three children, one a mere infant, and those she subjected to neglect and abuse. On Monday nothing of Mrs. Conkling was seen out of doors. She had been on a prolonged debauch and had crawled into her miserable room only to seek relief in the bottle. Her husband was about the house early in the day, but disappeared during its course and has not since been heard of. Shut up in the stable loft the drunkard tossed about in her delirium till near night. The children were locked up with her and the two eldest—Thomas, aged cleven, and Elizabeth, aged ten—weary and half starved, fell fast asleep. Later on some one who pitted their sai plight entered the place to discover a dreadful spectacle. Frone on the floor amid, the poor remains of the home she had desolated, with her infant sucking at her breast in vain for the nutrity if would receive there no more, the unfortunate mother lay dead. The neighbors and police were called in, and moved to pity by the touching sight they forgot the woman's excesses and hurrying to the other extreme suspected that it was her husband's violence had killed her. His disappearance was calculated to give color to such a bolief, and only when the Joroner had ascer-

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